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18 HOURS
AGO.

♦ YOU ALWAYS
NEED A DIFFERENT
PERSPECTIVE.

TAKE **AMANDA
WALLER, MS.
DOOM GLOOM.**

GOTHAM HAS
BECOME HELL
ON EARTH...

I'M NOT GOING TO SUGARCOAT
IT. I HAVE NO IDEA HOW **ANY** OF
THIS IS POSSIBLE, AND NEITHER
DO THE FIFTY PEOPLE I PAY TO
KNOW HOW **ANYTHING** IS
POSSIBLE.

THREE DAYS AGO, A GIANT MOUNTAIN GREW
OUT OF THE CENTER OF GOTHAM CITY,
TEEMING WITH IMPOSSIBLE ENERGY. LAST
NIGHT, THAT ENERGY FIELD EXPANDED
TO TAKE OVER THE ENTIRE GOTHAM
METROPOLITAN AREA, AND THE CITY
STARTED TO **CHANGE**.

WHAT IT'S CHANGING
INTO IS A MYSTERY
THAT I NEED SOLVED
NOW. OUR SATELLITES
ARE BLIND TO IT. I NEED
EYES ON THE GROUND. I
NEED YOU TO GET RIGHT
TO THE **HEART** OF THE
MADNESS. AND IF
WHATEVER HAPPENED TO
GOTHAM IS SPREADING,
I NEED YOU TO
STOP IT.

NO MATTER
THE COST.

NO.

SHE MADE US
THE **SUICIDE
SQUAD**. AND WITH
A NAME LIKE **THAT**,
YOU HAVE TO LOOK
ON THE **BRIGHT
SIDE**.

MAYBE WE'RE NOT
HEROES, BUT SOMETIMES
YOU NEED BAD PEOPLE TO
DO THE **RIGHT THING**.

NOT
MY CITY.

DAMN
STRAIGHT...

NIGHTWING,
WE'RE GONNA
DIE...

REALLY?
WHAT MAKES
YOU SAY
THAT?

YO! ROBIN!
GET OFF! YER TOO
YOUNG TO DRIVE AND
IT IS MY CIVIC DUTY AS A
RESPONSIBLE, CRAZY,
HUGELY ATTRACTIVE
ADULT WITH A GIANT
MALLET TO--

YOU'LL
KILL US
ALL, QUINN,
YOU LUNATIC!
THAT'S A HUGE
CHASM DEAD
AHEAD!

CROC
HATE...
SCHOOL...
BUSES...

ALL
PASSENGERS,
PLEASE MAKE SURE
YOUR SEAT BACKS AND
TRAY TABLES ARE IN
THEIR FULL UPRIGHT
POSITION!

THAT'S
AIRPLANES, NOT
BUSES!

OH
YEAH.

UHHHH, SHE
WOULDN'T...

SHE
WOULD!

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WELCOME TO THE JUNGLE

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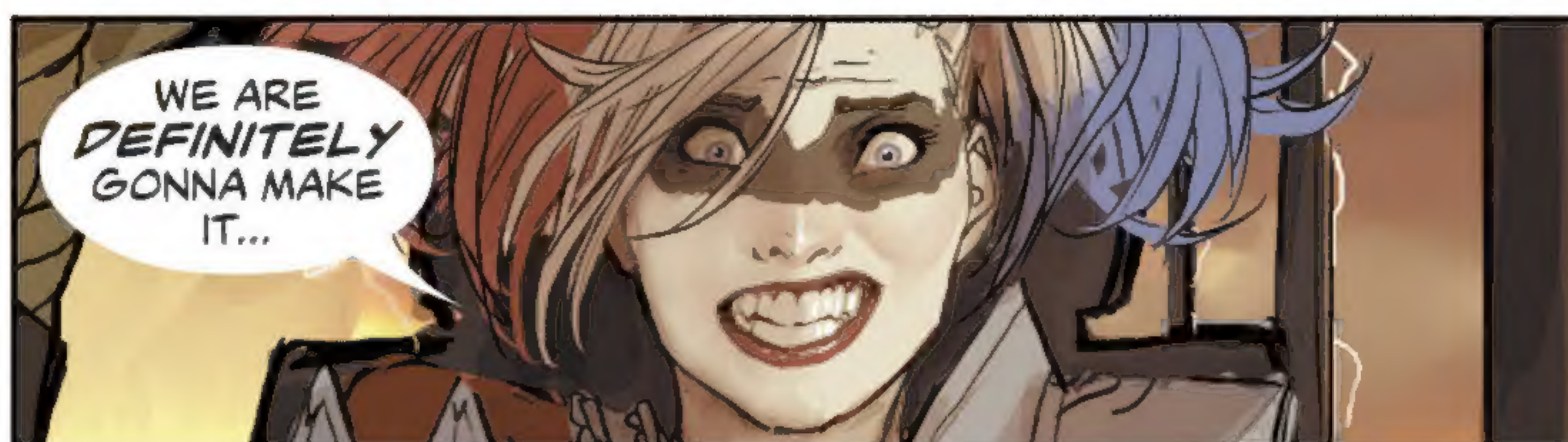
YESSSSS!!!

FLYIN' HIGH
AGAAAAIN!!!

VRooooooooooooom



Y'KNOW, READER
WITH HANDS OVER EYES...I'M
AMAZED TO THINK, IN THIS BRIEF
OASIS MOMENT OF FROZEN LUCIDITY
AMIDST THE TUMULT...THAT
WE'RE **ACTUALLY** GONNA
MAKE IT.



WE ARE
DEFINITELY
GONNA MAKE
IT...

...I AM AN
EXCELLENT
DRIVER...



AHHHHH!!!
WHOSE \$%&£&%\$
IDEA WAS THIS
AGAIN?!

QUINNNNNNN!!!!

CROC
DON'T WANNA
DIEEEEEEEEEEE!!!

HOW'S MY
DRIVING?



KREAKKKK

WE...AH...
SEEM TO HAVE HIT
SOMETHING THAT
HAS, LIKE, TOTALLY
BROKEN OUR
FALL...

OH, YOU
NOTICED
THAT?



SMELLS LIKE
BROCCOLI...



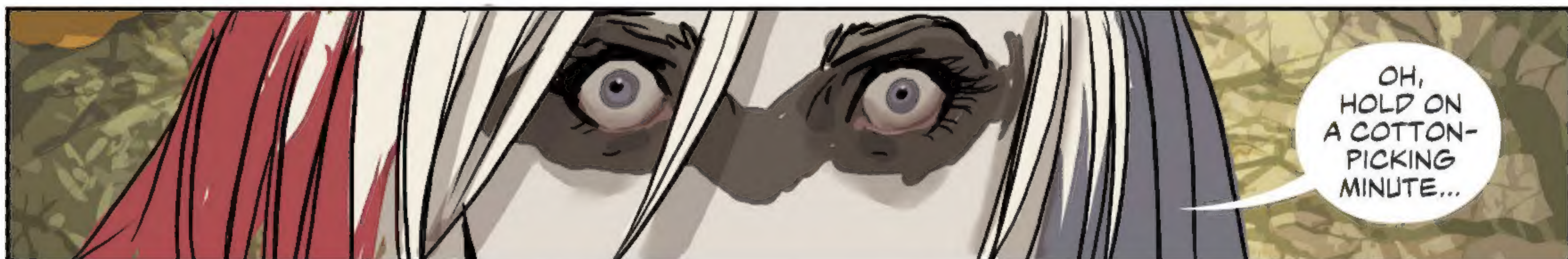
HEY, NICE JOB,
QUINN. WHAT? YOU
SAW ALL THIS DOWN
HERE AND FIGURED
IT'D CATCH US?

ERM...YEAH.
THAT WAS
EXACTLY MY
PLAN, GREEN
ARROW.
=COUGH=

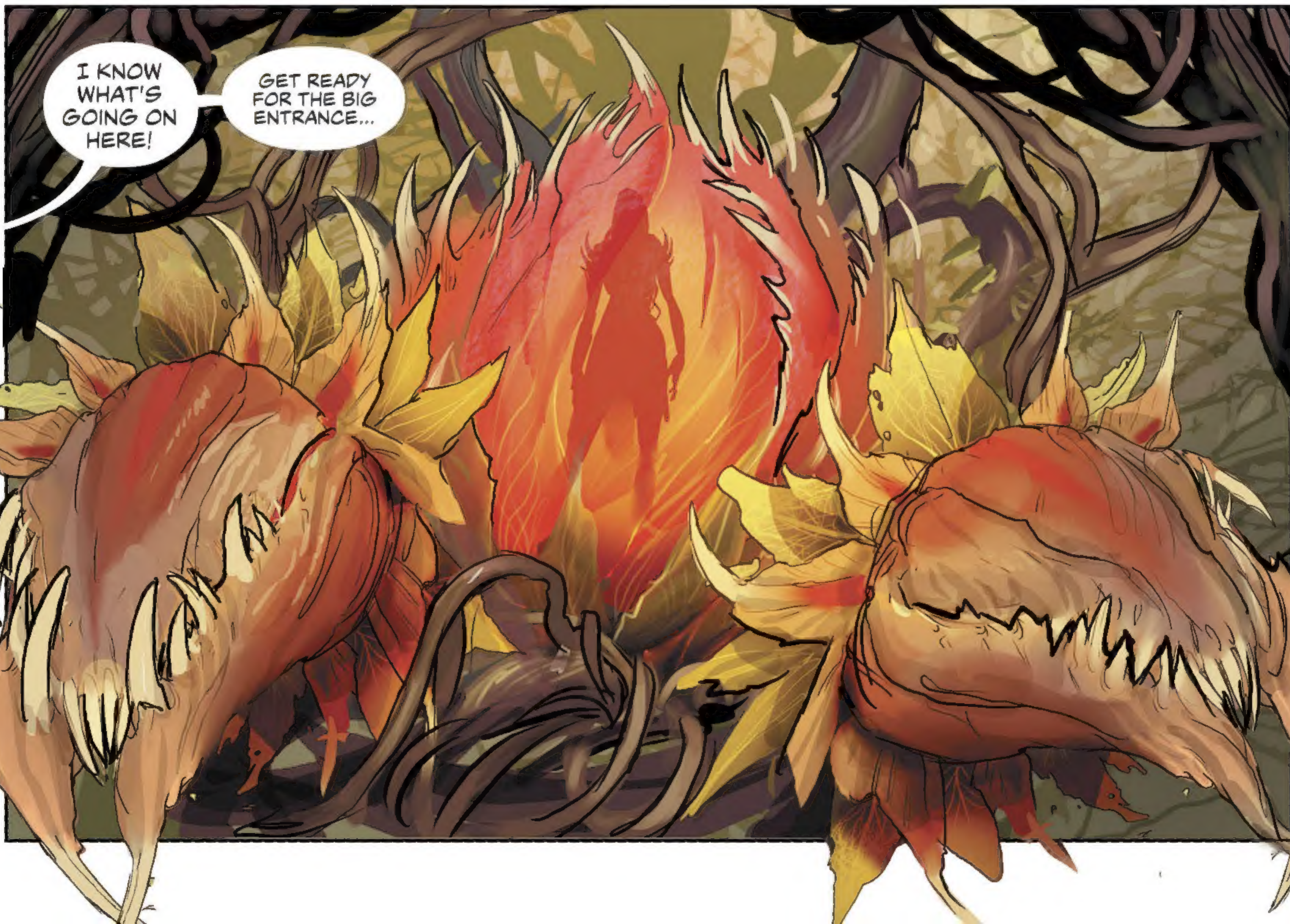


LOOK
OUT!

THEY'RE
ALIVE!

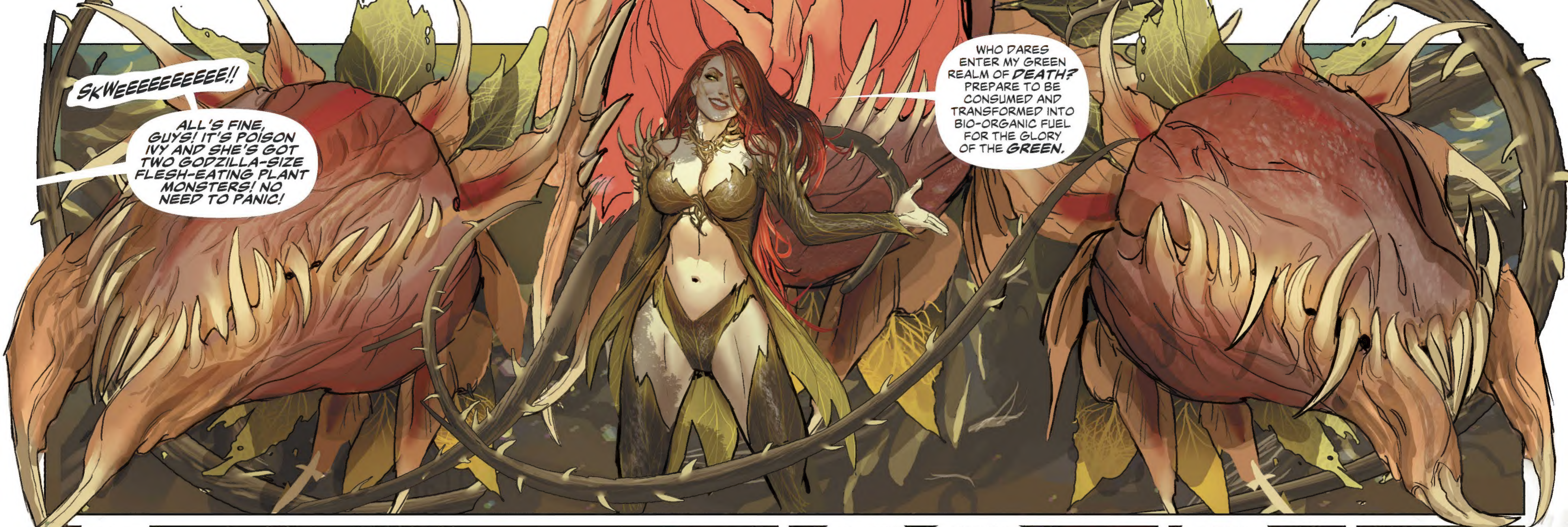


OH,
HOLD ON
A COTTON-
PICKING
MINUTE...



I KNOW
WHAT'S
GOING ON
HERE!

GET READY
FOR THE BIG
ENTRANCE...



SKWEEEEEEEEEE!!

ALL'S FINE,
GUYS! IT'S POISON
IVY AND SHE'S GOT
TWO GODZILLA-SIZE
FLESH-EATING PLANT
MONSTERS! NO
NEED TO PANIC!

WHO DARES
ENTER MY GREEN
REALM OF **DEATH**?
PREPARE TO BE
CONSUMED AND
TRANSFORMED INTO
BIO-ORGANIC FUEL
FOR THE GLORY
OF THE **GREEN**.



CROC IS
GREEN.

SO
AM I!

I DON'T
THINK THAT
COUNTS,
GREEN
ARROW!

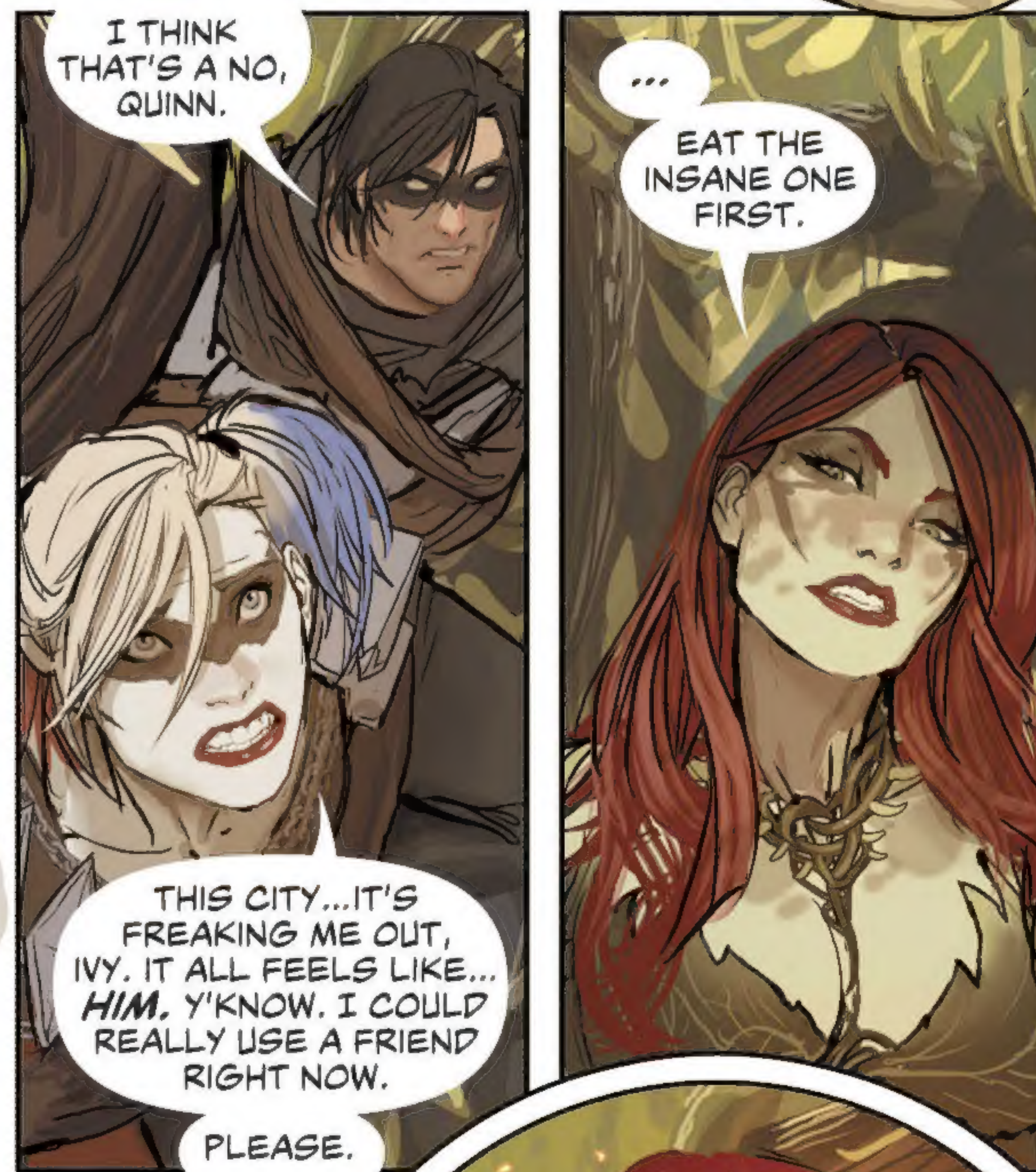


BESTIE!!!
OMG!

THAT'S
WHY YOU CAUGHT
MY FLYING BUS OF
DOOM. YOU WERE
SAVING **ME**!
THERE'S SOME
GOOD LEFT IN THIS
STINKING CITY
AFTER ALL!

I CAUGHT
YOU AS A SPIDER
CATCHES THE
FLY.

YOU ARE
FOOD TO BE FIRST
LIQUIDIZED AND
THEN CONSUMED.



I THINK
THAT'S A NO,
QUINN.

...
EAT THE
INSANE ONE
FIRST.

THIS CITY...IT'S
FREAKING ME OUT,
IVY. IT ALL FEELS LIKE...
HIM. Y'KNOW. I COULD
REALLY USE A FRIEND
RIGHT NOW.

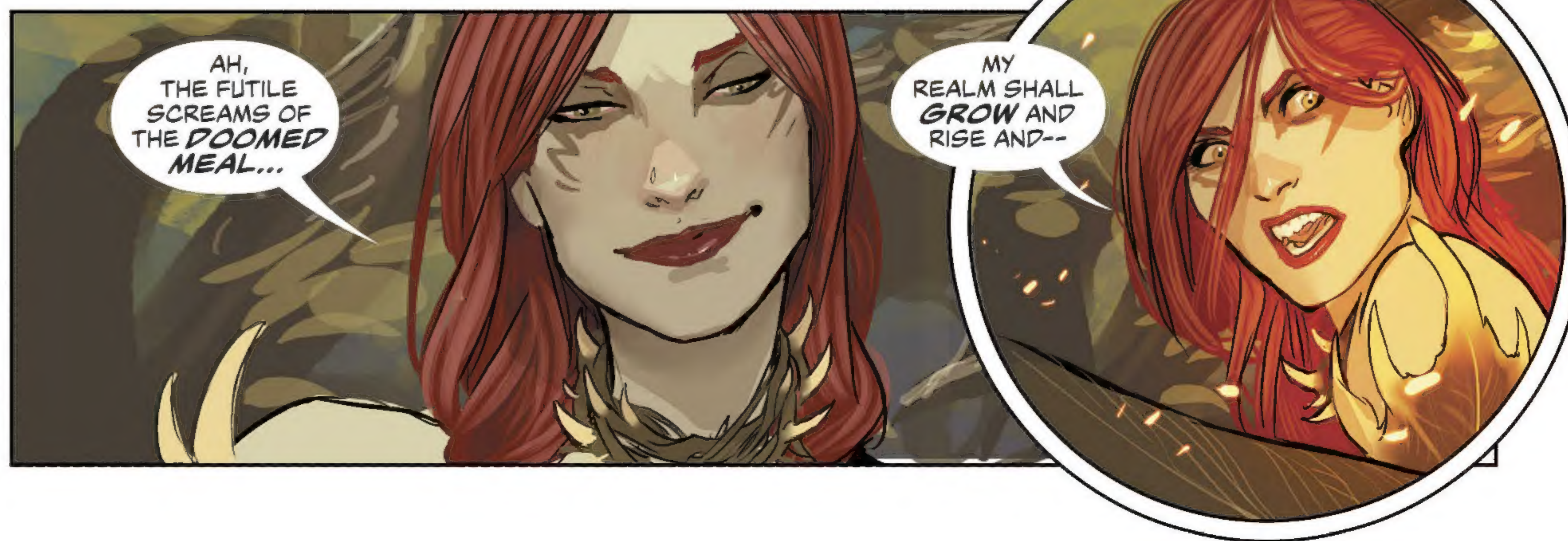
PLEASE.



YOU'RE THE
CRAZY ONE
RIGHT NOW!
NOT ME!

THIS AIN'T
YOU! I KNOW
THIS AIN'T YOU!
WHATEVER'S
GOING ON
HERE...

GIMME
MY FRIEND
BACK!!



AH,
THE FUTILE
SCREAMS OF
THE **DOOMED**
MEAL...

MY
REALM SHALL
GROW AND
RISE AND--



PREPARE
TO HEAR YOUR
PLANTS BURN! HE
HAS ORDERED ME
TO RETRIEVE
THESE SOULS!

FOR THE
BATMAN WHO
LAUGHS HAS
PLANS FOR
THEM!



KORY! WHAT
HAPPENED TO
YOU?!

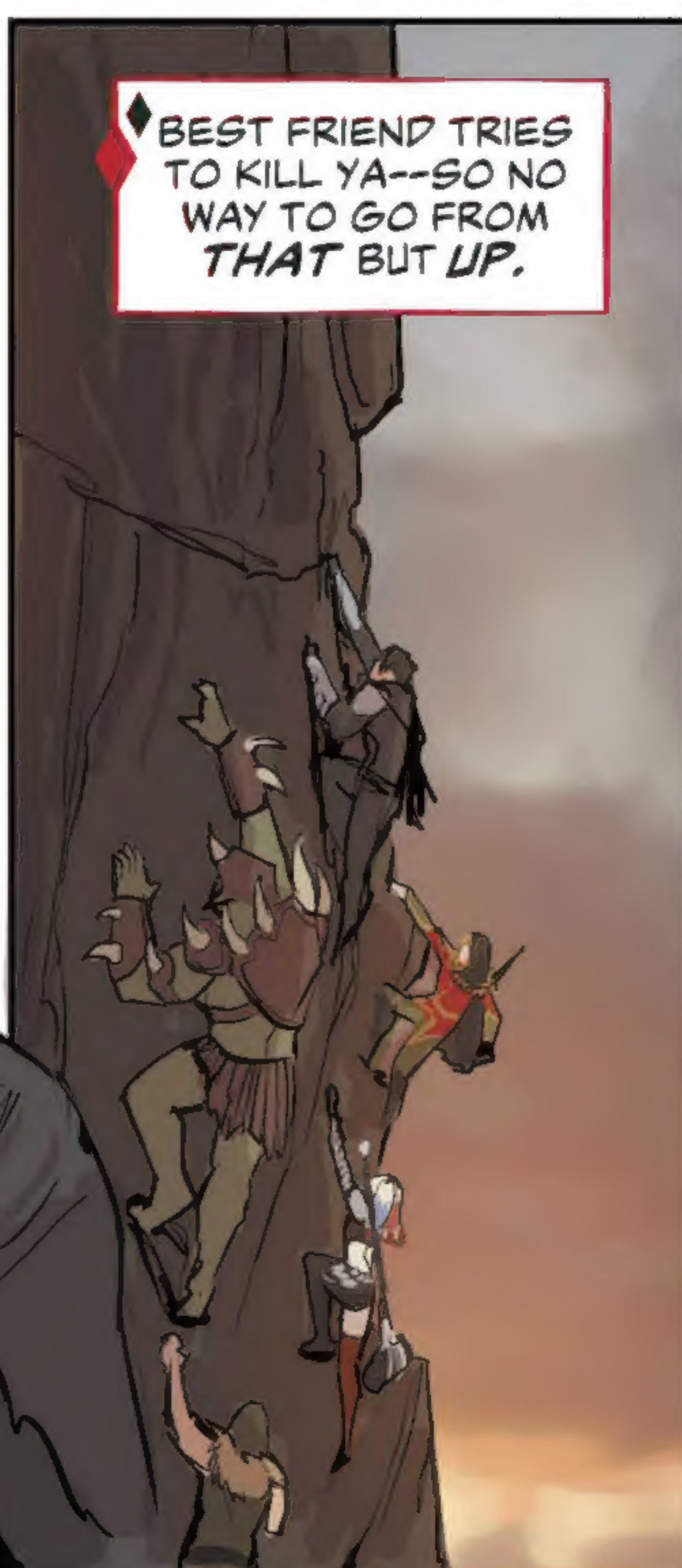
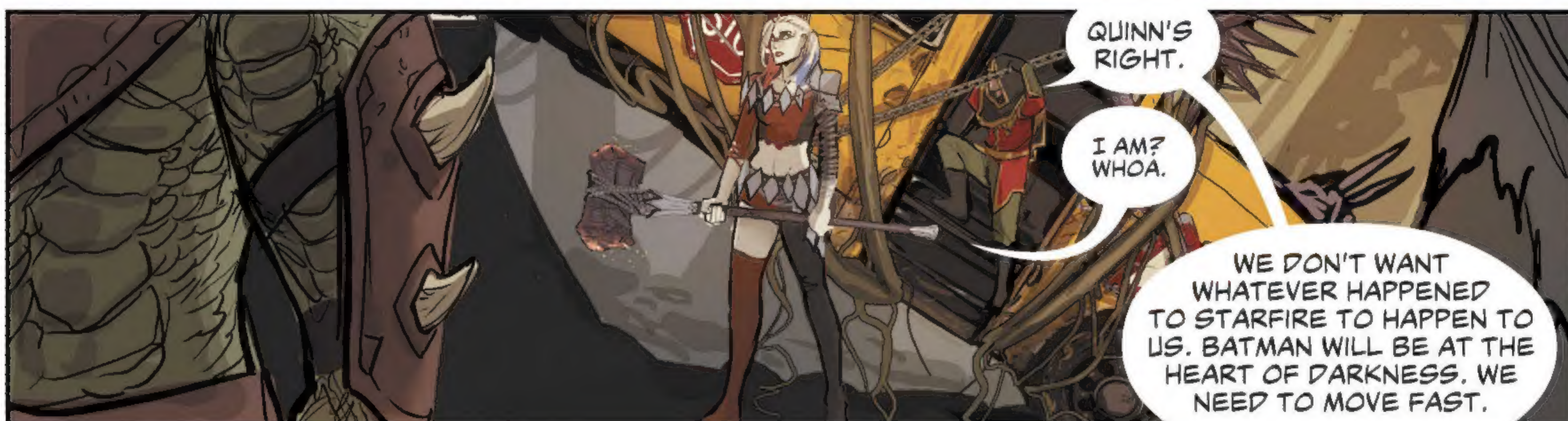
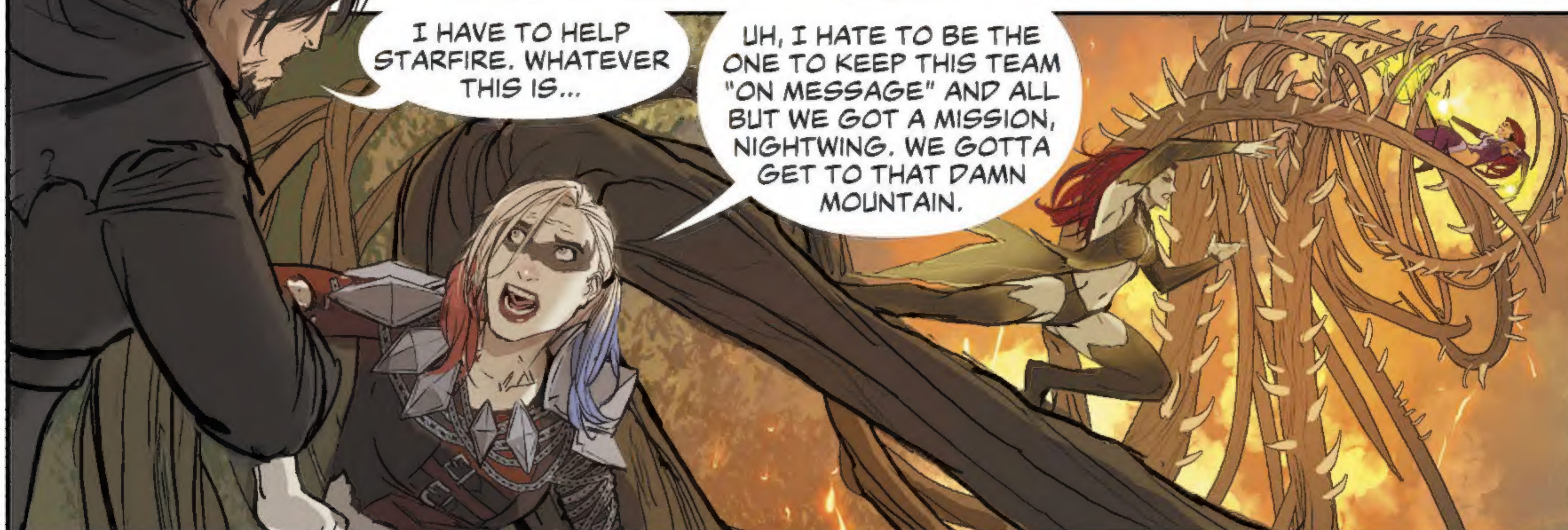
THE
EVIL'S GOT
STARFIRE...



HAAAAHAHA!!!

NO!!!
DON'T HURT MY
BEAUTIES!

UH...STARFIRE'S
ACTUALLY FACILITATIN'
OUR ESCAPE...





OH NO...

OH. WHOOPS. NEVER MIND.

THAT'S RIGHT, YOU FOOL.

TELL THEM. TELL THE OTHERS.

THE END OF YOUR STORY IS ALREADY HERE. THERE IS NO HOPE LEFT IN GOTHAM.



THE TEEN TITANS... MY WHOLE TEAM... GOLIATH...

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO THEM?!



WUNG? BATMAN?



I DON'T UNDERSTAND...



...WHAT AM I... SEEING?





EVIL
VERSIONS OF
THE *SUICIDE*
SQUAD?

I MEAN...WHAT'S
THE DIFFERENCE?

COME
ON THEN,
FREAKS!

HUH.



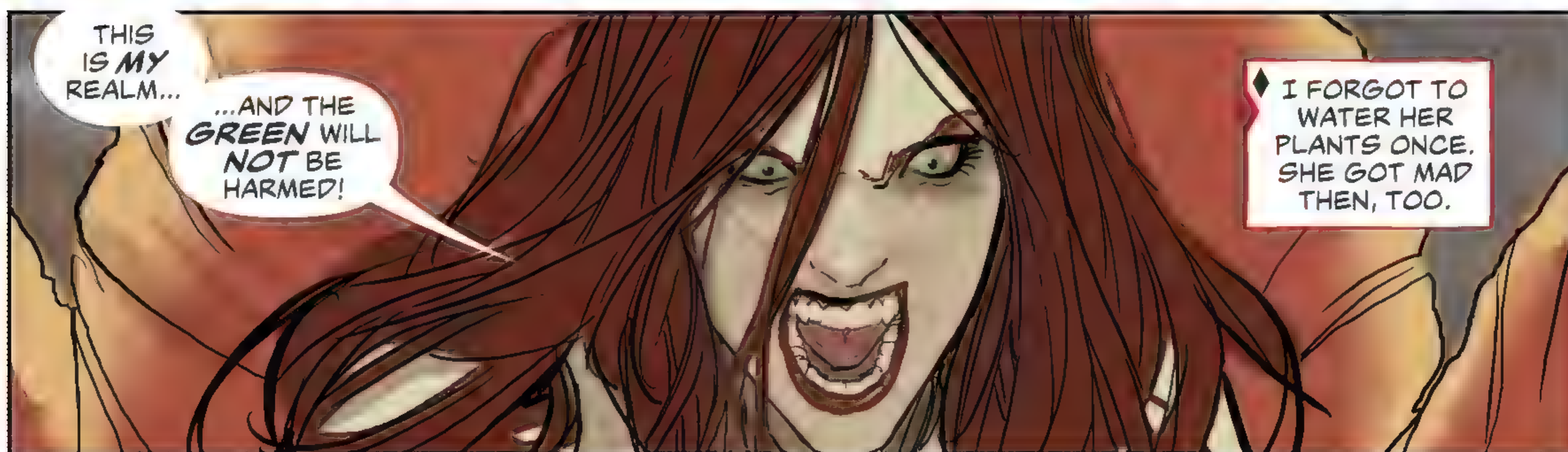
YOUR STRUGGLES ARE FOR NOUGHT!
GOTHAM DESCENDS INTO THE
BLOOD DANCE OF--

OKAY,
WE'VE GONE
FULL PROG
ROCK.



THE
BATMAN WHO
LAUGHS GAVE *ME*
THE CARD!

NOPE,
WASN'T
FULL, IT
TURNS
OUT.



THIS
IS *MY*
REALM...

...AND THE
GREEN WILL
NOT BE
HARMED!

◆ I FORGOT TO
WATER HER
PLANTS ONCE.
SHE GOT MAD
THEN, TOO.



MY FATHER TOLD ME
TO MAKE SOME NEW
FRIENDS.

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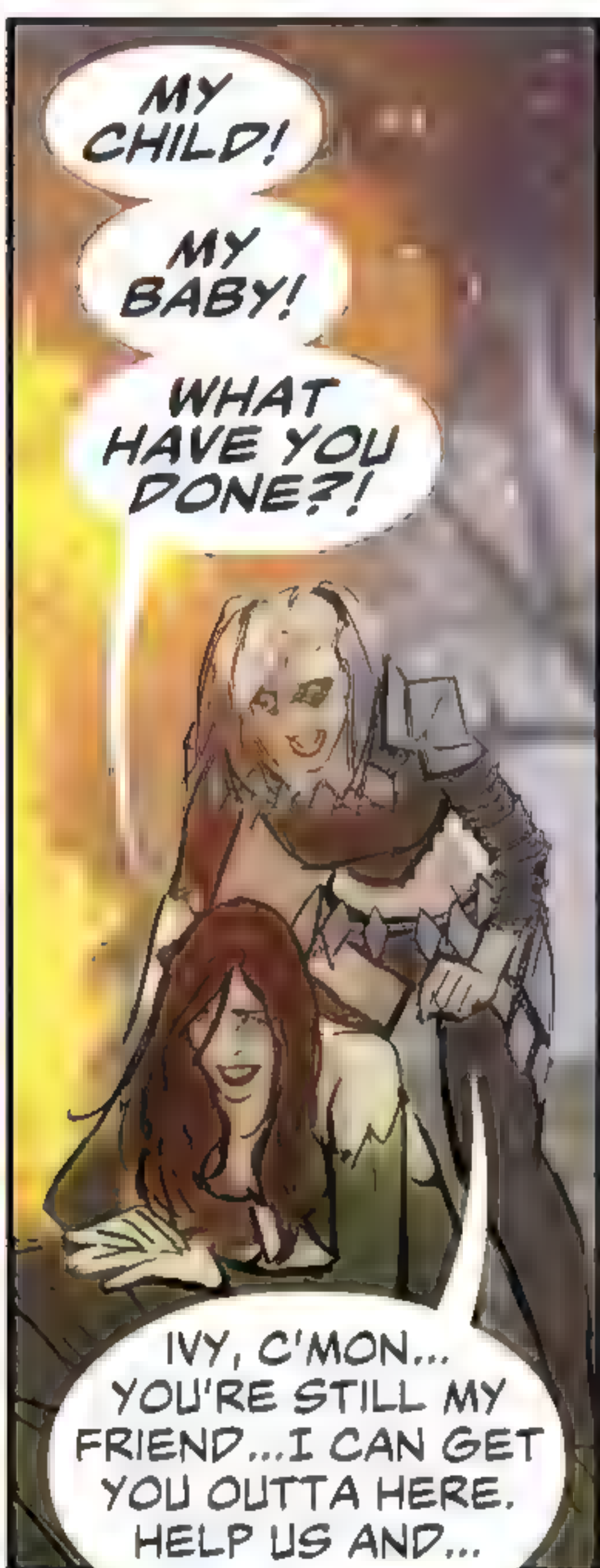
YOU WERE
ALWAYS UP FOR A
GOOD TIME IN MY
WORLD...

...C'MON, PLAY WITH
ME, NIGHTWING!

TOO...
FAST...WHAT
ARE YOU?!

OH, RICHARD,
I'VE ALWAYS BEEN
FASTER THAN YOU.

NO!!!



MY
CHILD!

MY
BABY!

WHAT
HAVE YOU
DONE?!

IVY, C'MON...
YOU'RE STILL MY
FRIEND...I CAN GET
YOU OUTTA HERE.
HELP US AND...



GET
AWAY
FROM
ME!



NIGHTWING,
YOU CAN'T FIGHT
THAT THING!

IT'S
KILLING
YOU!

SHING



IT'LL
KILL ALL
OF US...

...UNLESS
WE RUN.



TELL HIM
THE TRUTH,
GRAYSON...

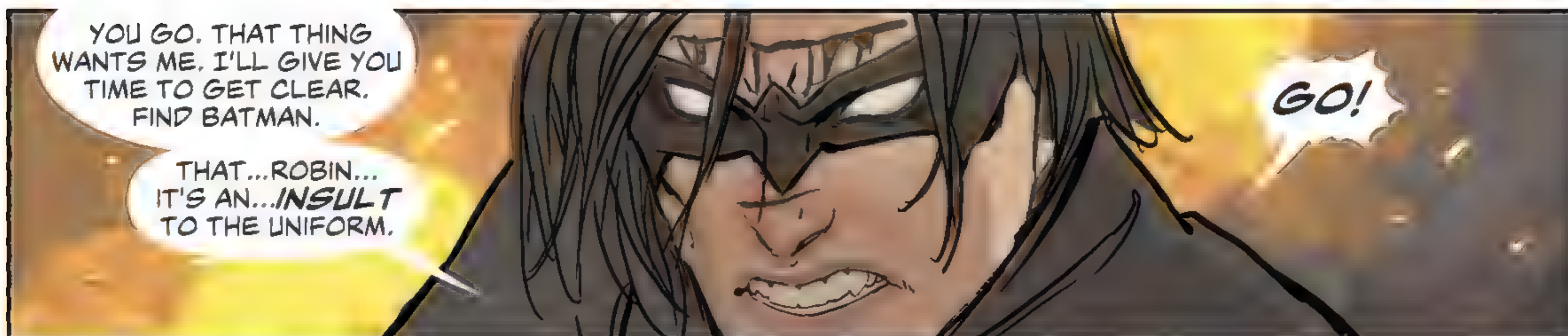
THERE IS
NOWHERE TO
RUN.



CROC HAS
HAD ABOUT
ENOUGH OF
THIS.

YEAH, YOU
AND ME BOTH,
WAYLON.

◆ HMM...BEEN
HIT HARDER...BUT
THAT...HURT.



YOU GO. THAT THING
WANTS ME. I'LL GIVE YOU
TIME TO GET CLEAR.
FIND BATMAN.

THAT...ROBIN...
IT'S AN...*INSULT*
TO THE UNIFORM.

GO!

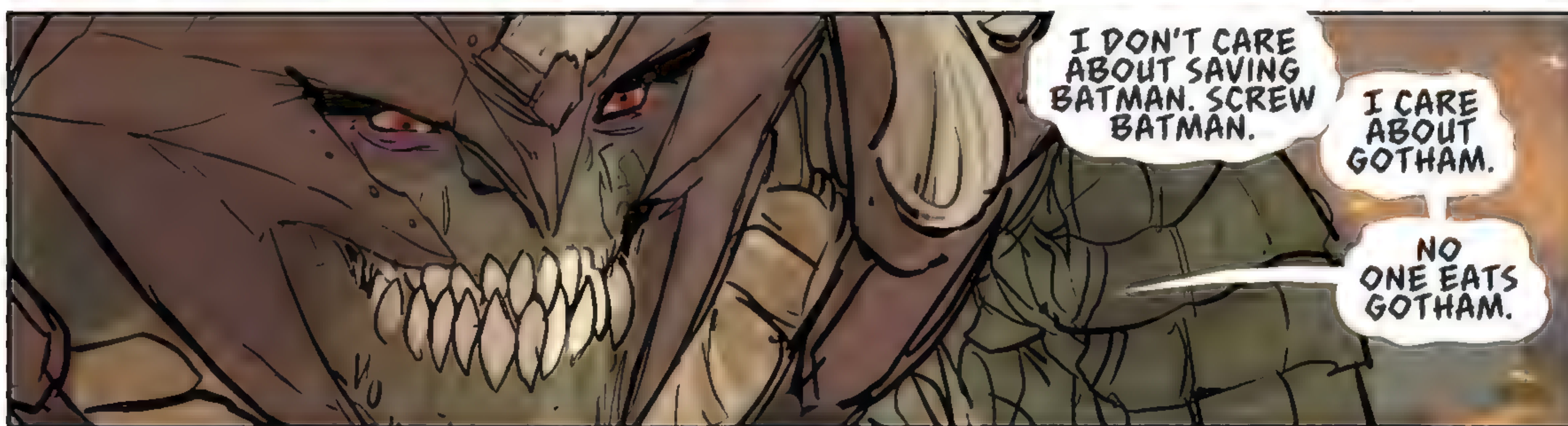


NO.

CROC
WILL
HOLD
IT.

IF ANYONE
CAN FIND THE
BAT, IT IS
YOU.

YOU'RE
KILLER CROC!
YOU'RE GOING
TO SACRIFICE
YOURSELF FOR
US? WHY?



I DON'T CARE
ABOUT SAVING
BATMAN. SCREW
BATMAN.

I CARE
ABOUT
GOTHAM.

NO
ONE EATS
GOTHAM.



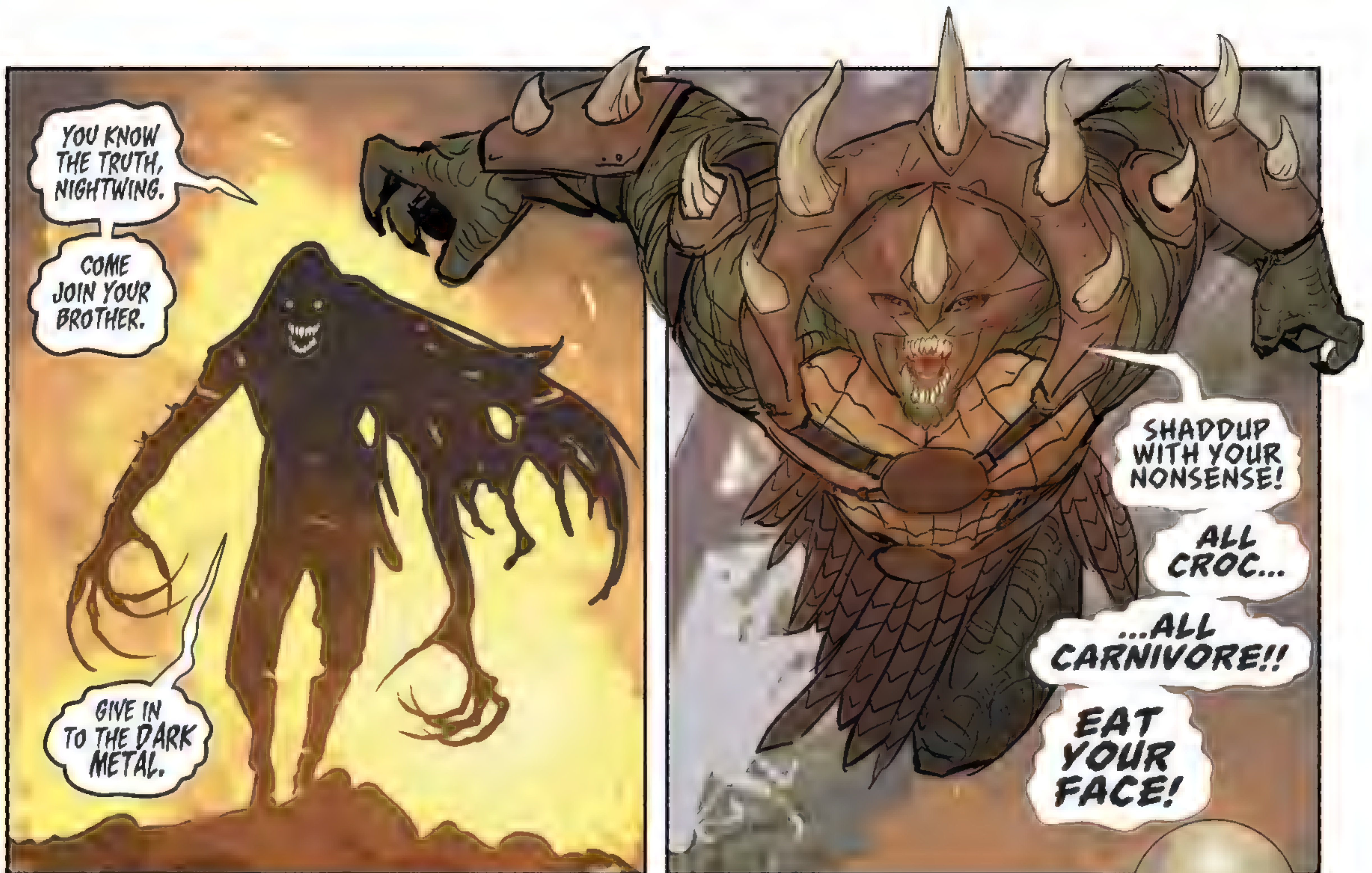
IT IS AKIN TO HENRY
V'S AGINCOURT
SPEECH...

I THINK HE'S
SAYING HE'S
A HERO.



AH...
HE'S
COMING...

I CAN
FEEL
IT.



YOU KNOW
THE TRUTH,
NIGHTWING.

COME
JOIN YOUR
BROTHER.

GIVE IN
TO THE DARK
METAL.

SHADDUP
WITH YOUR
NONSENSE!

ALL
CROC...

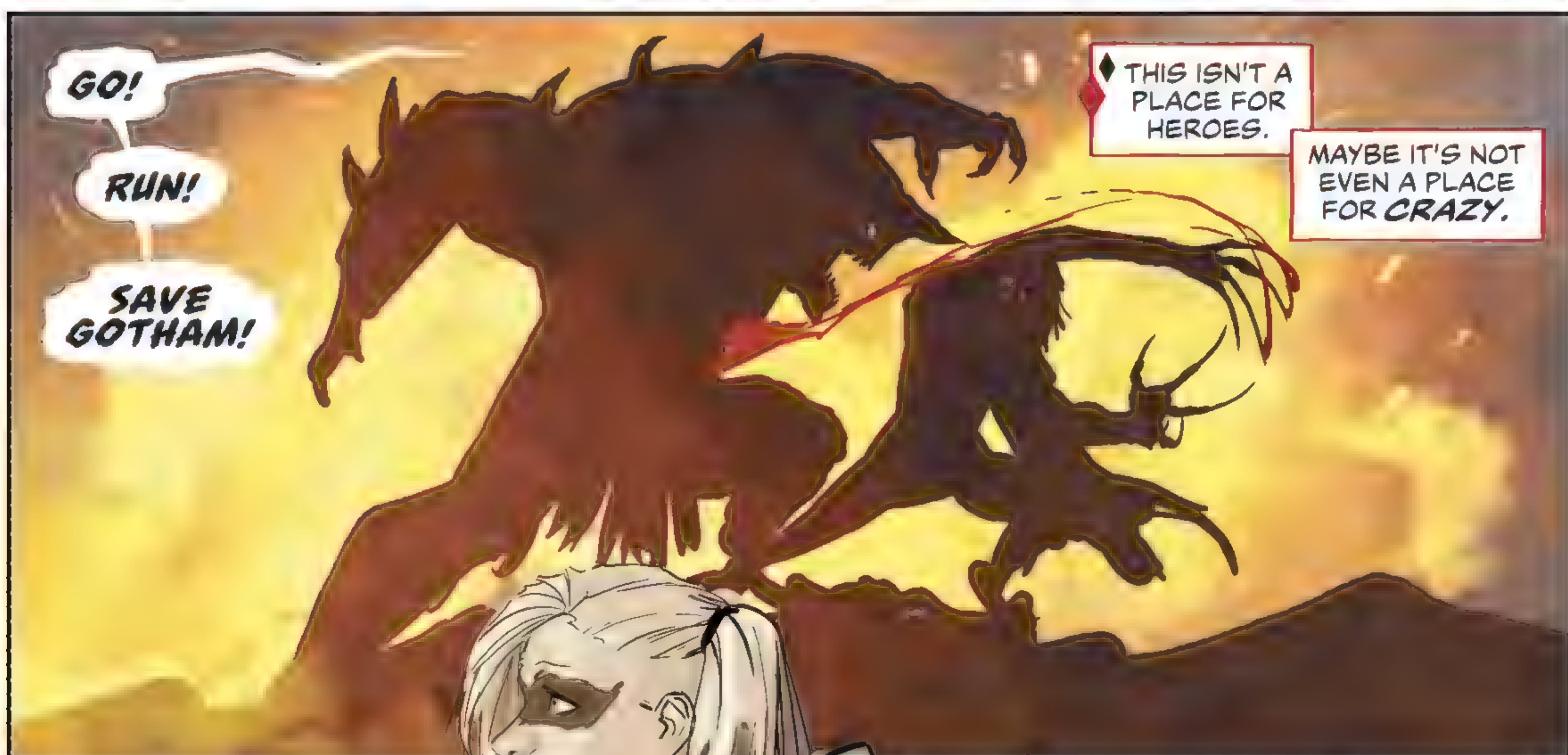
...ALL
CARNIVORE!!

EAT
YOUR
FACE!



CROC'S GOTTA GET A
MORE FAMILY-FRIENDLY
BATTLE CRY...

THE
FLOATING
METAL
BALL...IT'S
BACK...



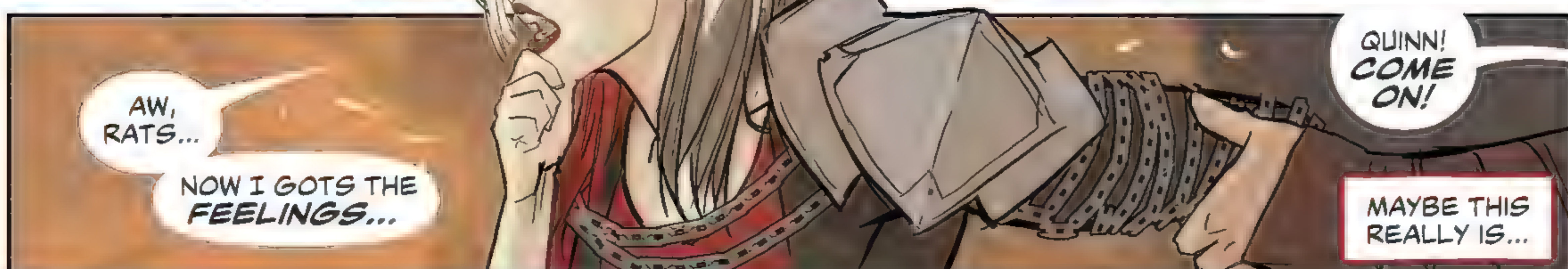
GO!

RUN!

SAVE
GOTHAM!

THIS ISN'T A
PLACE FOR
HEROES.

MAYBE IT'S NOT
EVEN A PLACE
FOR *CRAZY*.



AW,
RATS...

NOW I GOTTS THE
FEELINGS...

QUINN!
COME
ON!

MAYBE THIS
REALLY IS...

...A SUICIDE MISSION.



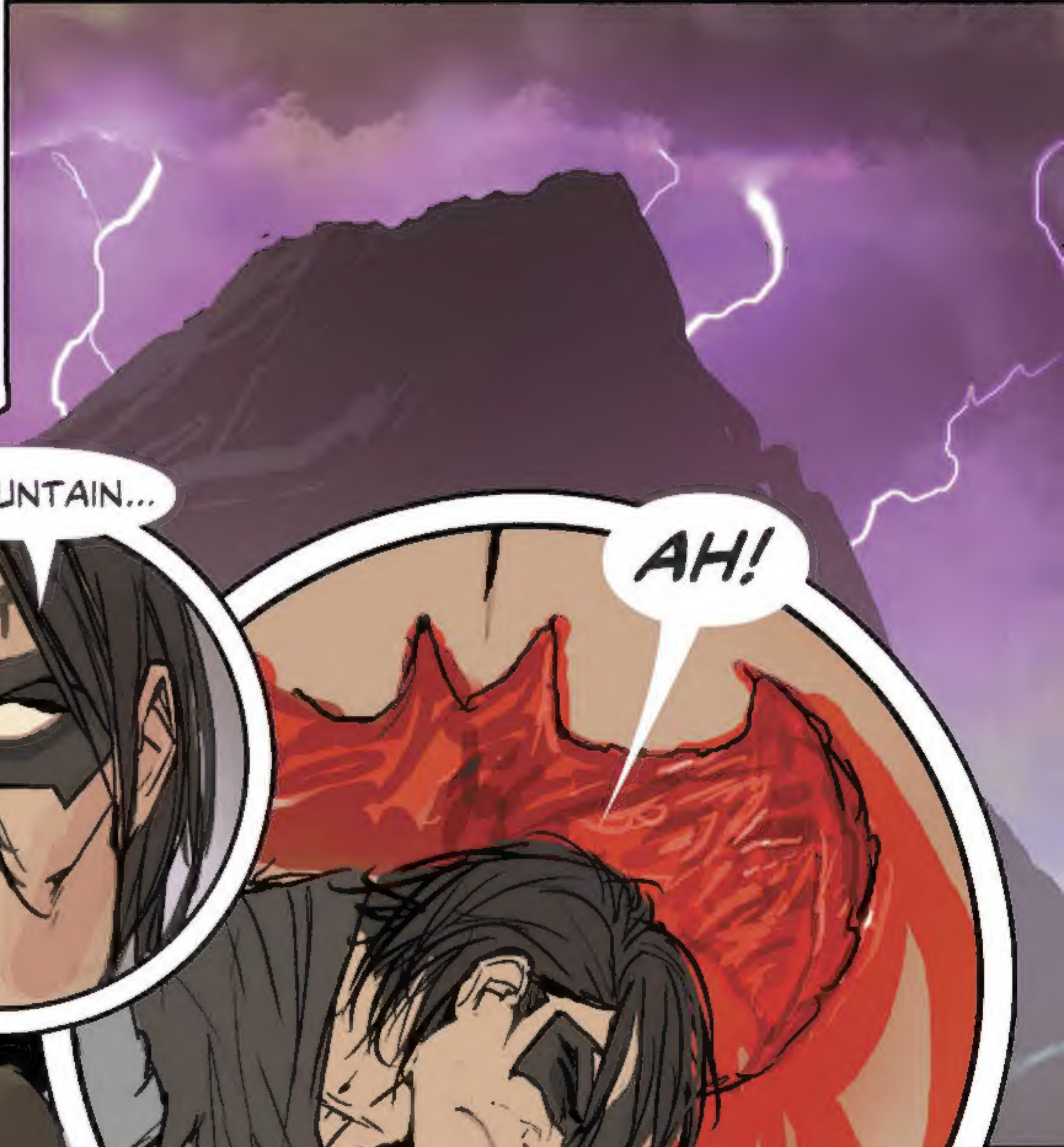
WE CAN'T
KEEP DOING
THIS...

THIS PLACE...
IT'S...IT'S LIKE A
NIGHTMARE...



ONE YOU
CAN'T WAKE
UP FROM...

...YEAH.



WE'RE FINALLY
GETTING CLOSER
TO THE...

...MOUNTAIN...

AH!



DON'T GIMME THAT
STOIC "I'M FINE" CRAP,
NIGHTWING. YOU'VE BEEN
ACTING CRAZIER AND
CRAZIER THE CLOSER
WE GET.

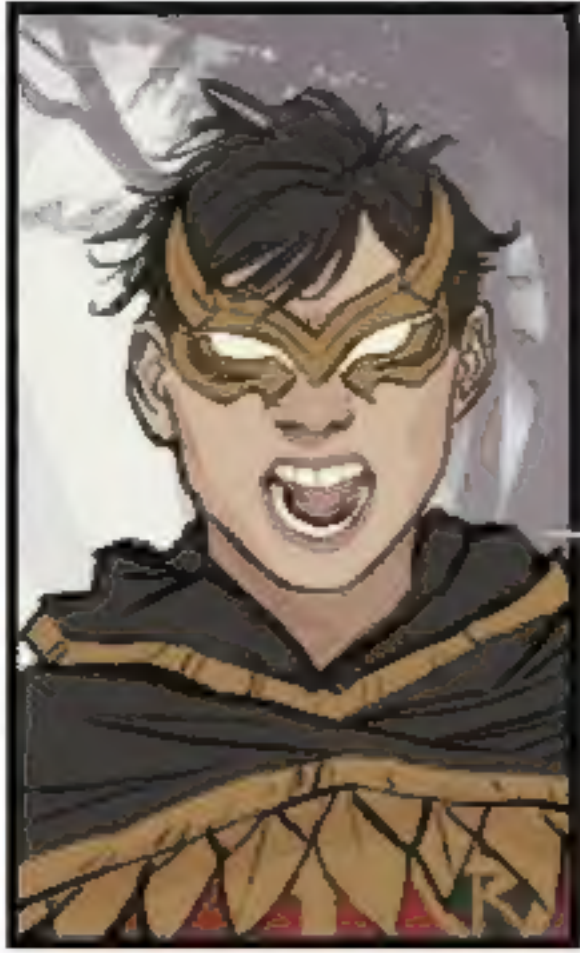
IF YOU
ARE MAD, COME
JOIN US!



ROBIN...I'M SORRY...I DON'T THINK WE'RE GOING TO FIND HIM HERE.

I DON'T THINK WE'RE GOING TO FIND HIM ANYWHERE. I SAW BATMAN.

HE'S DEAD.



NO!

YOU'RE **WRONG!** YOU'RE NOT HIS SON! YOU WOULDN'T KNOW!



DAMIAN...

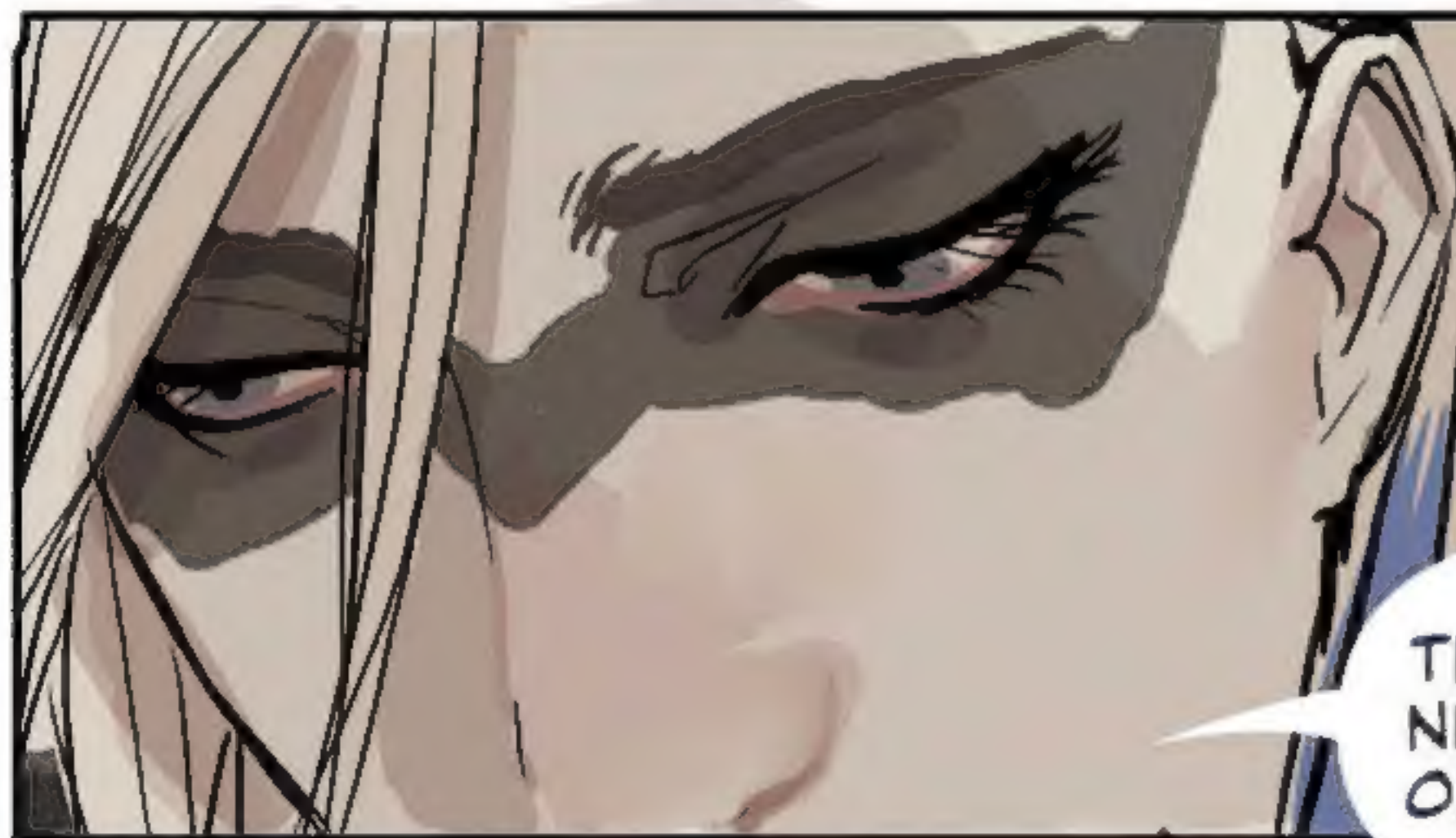
BATMAN IS **NOT** DEAD.

HE'S NOT...

HE'S...



I'M SORRY.



THIS PLACE...CROC A HERO...IVY TRYIN' TO KILL ME...BATMAN DEAD...

IT'S CRAZY. GOTHAM'S GONE **INSANE.**

NO, IT'S **WORSE.** THIS IS WAKIN' UP FROM A NIGHTMARE ONLY TA FIND OUT YOU'RE STILL AWAKE.



IT'S WHAT **HE** WOULD WANT.

MY PUDDIN'...

OKAY, WHAT NEXT?



THAT'S THE THING ABOUT MISTAH J. YOU CAN'T EVER TELL...

...BUT YOU KNOW IT AIN'T GONNA BE GOOD!

NOW, **TWEEDLE-DUM!**

CUT THESE INTRUDERS DOWN TO--





THERE IS A WAY OUT, DR. QUINZEL.

BUT IT MAY MEAN GOING EVEN DEEPER INTO THE RABBIT HOLE.

THE NAME'S

MISTER TERRIFIC!

WE'RE GONNA BRING FAIR PLAY BACK TO THIS CITY!

WHO'S WITH ME?



NOW THAT-- THAT'S CRAZY, RIGHT?

WELL, GREEN JEANS, IT'S ALL ABOUT HOW YA LOOK AT THINGS, AIN'T IT?



WINK



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NEXT WEEK: THE EPIC CONCLUSION IN **GREEN ARROW** #32. FACE-TO-FACE WITH THE BATMAN WHO LAUGHS!